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May 5, 2011

TO:

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FROM:

Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.

Director and Health Officer

SUBJECT:

NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT NOTICE OF AWARD NUMBER 1U58DP003061-01 REVISED FROM THE

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION

This is to notify you that I am exercising delegated authority approved by your Board on November 9, 2010, to accept future awards and/or amendments related to Notice of Award (NA) Number 1U58DP003061-01 from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) that allow a redirection of funding, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office.

On January 20, 2011, the CDC issued NA Number 1U58DP003061-01 REVISED which approves the Department of Public Health's revised work plan and revised budget for the period September 30, 2010 through September 29, 2011, submitted in response to the CDC's request for an update and clarification of selected program content in DPH's initial proposal. This amendment does not impact the initial CDC award amount of \$363,366 for the period September 30, 2010 through September 29, 2011.

This award supports the overall goal of the Los Angeles County Sodium Reduction Initiative program which is to create healthier food environments by reducing sodium intake through implementation of population-based sodium reduction strategies.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the NA as to use and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer County Counsel Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors